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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

In re:

WORLDCOM, INC., et al.,
 Debtors.

THE LANGSTON LAW FIRM, PA, JOSEPH C.
 LANGSTON, and TIMOTHY R. BALDUCCI,

Appellants,

v.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, STACEY PICKERING
 in his capacity as Auditor for the State of Mississippi,
 and PHIL BRYANT, in his capacity as former Auditor
 for the State of Mississippi,

Appellees.

Chapter 11
 (Jointly Administered)
 Bankruptcy Court Case No.
 02-13533 (AJG)

08 Civ. 04331

Bankruptcy Court
 Adversary Proceeding
 No. 07-02044 (AJG)

**MOTION TO ADMIT
 COUNSEL PRO HAC
 VICE**

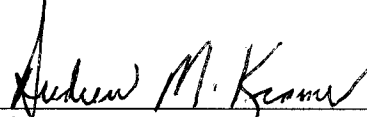
Pursuant to Rule 1.3 of the Local Rules of the United States District Courts of the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, I, Andrew M. Kramer, a member in good standing of the bar of this Court, hereby move this Court for an Order allowing the admission *pro hac vice* of the following individuals:

Applicants' Names: Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr.
Craig M. Geno
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Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr., Esq., and Craig M. Geno, Esq., are members in good standing of the Bar of the State of Mississippi. There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against Mr. Jernigan or Mr. Geno in any state or federal court.

Dated: New York, New York
July 22, 2008

Respectfully submitted,



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)	ANDREW M. KRAMER
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, STACEY PICKERING)	IN SUPPORT OF MOTION
in his capacity as Auditor for the State of Mississippi,)	TO ADMIT COUNSEL
and PHIL BRYANT, in his capacity as former Auditor)	<u>PRO HAC VICE</u>
for the State of Mississippi,)	
)	
Appellees.)	
)	

STATE OF NEW YORK)
) ss.:
 COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

Andrew M. Kramer, being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

1. I am a Member of the Firm of Otterbourg, Steindler, Houston & Rosen, P.C.,
 counsel for Appellees Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant in the above captioned action. I am

familiar with the proceedings in this case. I make this affidavit based on my personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and in support of the motion by Appellees Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant to admit Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr. and Craig M. Geno as counsel *pro hac vice* to represent Appellees Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant in this matter.

2. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York and was admitted to practice in 1983. I am also admitted to the bar of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York and am in good standing with this Court.

3. I have known Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr. for approximately seven (7) months and Craig M. Geno since 2000.

4. Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr. and Craig M. Geno are partners in the law firm of Harris Jernigan & Geno, PLLC in Ridgeland, Mississippi.

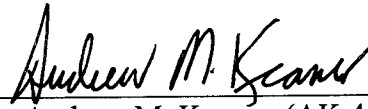
5. Messrs. Jernigan and Geno are members in good standing of the Bar of the State of Mississippi. Certificates of Good Standing from the Bar of the State of Mississippi for Messrs. Jernigan and Geno are annexed hereto as Exhibit A.

6. I have found both Mr. Jernigan and Mr. Geno to be skilled attorneys and persons of integrity. They are experienced in federal practice and are familiar with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

7. Accordingly, I am pleased to move the admission of Messrs. Jernigan and Geno, *pro hac vice*.

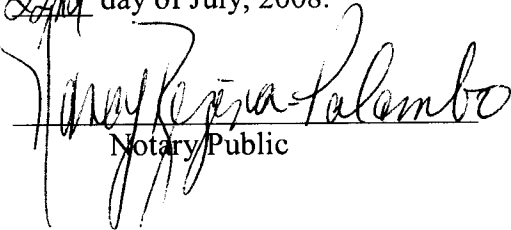
8. A proposed order granting the admission of Messrs. Jernigan and Geno, *pro hac vice*, is annexed hereto as Exhibit B.

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that the motion to admit Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr. and Craig M. Geno, *pro hac vice*, to represent Appellees Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant in the above captioned matter be granted.



Andrew M. Kramer (AK 4438)

Sworn to before me this
22nd day of July, 2008.


Notary Public

NANCY REGINA-PALOMBO
Notary Public, State Of New York
No. 01PA4772222
Qualified In Bronx County
Commission Expires 8/31/2010

The Supreme Court of Mississippi



Certificate of Good Standing

*I, Betty W. Sephton, as Clerk of the Supreme Court of Mississippi, do hereby certify that **Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr.** was duly and legally admitted to practice law before the Supreme Court of Mississippi on May 21, 1974, and is now an attorney in good standing of the Bar of this Court, as shown by the records of said Court on file in this office.*

I further certify that the Supreme Court of Mississippi is the highest court of record in this state.

Done on July 11, 2008, with the seal of the Supreme Court of Mississippi affixed.

The Supreme Court of Mississippi

Betty W. Sephton
CLERK

The Supreme Court of Mississippi



Certificate of Good Standing

*I, Betty W. Sephton, as Clerk of the Supreme Court of Mississippi, do hereby certify that **Craig M. Geno** was duly and legally admitted to practice law before the Supreme Court of Mississippi on March 9, 1979, and is now an attorney in good standing of the Bar of this Court, as shown by the records of said Court on file in this office.*

I further certify that the Supreme Court of Mississippi is the highest court of record in this state.

Done on July 11, 2008, with the seal of the Supreme Court of Mississippi affixed.

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Upon the motion of Andrew M. Kramer, Esq., attorney for Appellees Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant, and the Affidavit of Andrew M. Kramer, Esq., in support of the motion for the admission of Arthur F. Jernigan, Jr., Esq., and Craig M. Geno, Esq., to practice *pro hac vice* as counsel for Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant in the above captioned case,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the motion is granted and the following individuals are admitted to practice *pro hac vice* as counsel for Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant in the above captioned case in this Court:

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All attorneys appearing before this Court are subject to the Local Rules of this Court, including the Rules governing discipline of attorneys. If this action is assigned to the Electronic Case Filing (ECF) system, counsel shall immediately apply for an ECF password at nysd.uscourts.gov. Counsel shall forward the pro hac vice fee to the Clerk of Court.

Dated: , 2008
New York, New York

United States District/Magistrate Judge

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Andrew S. Halpern, being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

1. I am an attorney admitted to practice before this Court and am associated with the Firm of Otterbourg, Steindler, Houston & Rosen, P.C., counsel for Appellees Stacey Pickering and Phil Bryant in the above captioned action.

2 On July 22, 2008, I served the Motion to Admit Counsel Pro Hac Vice, the Affidavit of Andrew M. Kramer in Support of Motion to Admit Counsel Pro Hac Vice and the exhibits thereto by first class mail upon the persons shown below by sending same via first class mail in post-paid sealed wrappers properly addressed to:

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Sworn to before me this
22nd day of July, 2008

Nancy Regina Palombo
Notary Public

NANCY REGINA-PALOMBO
Notary Public, State Of New York
No. 01PA4772222
Qualified In Bronx County
Commission Expires

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